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In re U.S. Application of  
Michael Stockton et al.

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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above identified matter are the following items:

1. Response to Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC 371 In the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) (1p);
2. Petition for One Month Extension of Time (1p);
3. Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements mailed Jan. 4, 2007;
4. Added Page To Combined Declaration And Power of Attorney for Signature by Person with Sufficient Proprietary Interest Where no Inventor is Available to Sign and on Behalf of all the Inventor(s) Who Refuse(s) to Sign or Cannot be Reached (3pp);
5. Statement of Raymond M. Galasso (1p);
6. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney form (4pp); and
7. Confirmation postcard. Please file stamp and return.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees associated with this communication to Galasso & Associates Deposit account 50-3446 under Reference Number 1708.030002.

Respectfully Submitted,  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**  
**UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED**  
**OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) ("Notice") mailed January 4, 2007, the applicant responds by submitting a Petition for Extension of Time and an executed Added Page to Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Signature By Person with Sufficient Proprietary Interest where no Inventor is Available to Sign and on Behalf of all the Inventor(s) who refuse(s) to Sign or Cannot be Reached under (37 C.F.R. §1.47(b)). Applicant also submits an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and an executed Statement of facts signed by Raymond M. Galasso.

Applicant believes the attached documents are in order to complete the requirements for acceptance.

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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/07/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/07/2006
- Small Entity Statement filed on 06/07/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/07/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 06/07/2006
- Specification filed on 06/07/2006
- Claims filed on 06/07/2006
- Abstracts filed on 06/07/2006
- Drawings filed on 06/07/2006

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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